

# BUCCO MAYNANENSIS.



## CHARACTER GENERICUS.

*Rostrum* cultratum, lateraliter compressum, apice utrinque emarginato, incurvato; rictu infra oculos protenso.

*Nares* pennis recumbentibus obtectæ.

*Pedes* scansorii.

*Lin. Syst. Nat.* p. 168.

## CHARACTER SPECIFICUS, &c.

BUCCO viridis, capite gulaque rubris, cæruleo marginatis, jugulo et pectore flavo, abdominis macula rubra.

*Lath. ind. orn.* p. 203.

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*Briss.* 4. p. 102.

BUCCO elegans.

*Lin. Syst. Nat. Gmel.* p. 406.

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In Americæ australis partibus calidioribus generatur pulcherrima hæc avis. Nitore & varietate colorum plerisque antecellit congeneribus, quarum nonnullis obtigit non splendidus, sed paulo obscurior vestitus.







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THE  
MAYNA BARBET.



GENERIC CHARACTER.

*Bill* wedge-shaped, laterally compressed, incurvated at the tip and emarginated on each side: the rictus or gape extending beyond the eyes.

*Nostrils* covered with recumbent feathers.

*Feet* scansorial.

SPECIFIC CHARACTER, &c.

Green BARBET, with the head and throat red, bounded by blue; the breast yellow, and a red spot on the abdomen.

Le beau Tamatia.

*Buff. ois.* 7. p. 98.

Barbu de Maynas.

*Pl. enl.* 330.

Beautiful BARBET.

*Lath. syn.* 2. p. 498.

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This beautiful bird is a native of the hotter parts of South America, and in splendor and variety of colors excels most of its congeners, some of which are rather obscure in their plumage.